HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ____

Introduced by: Soliday, Brown C, Moseley

A RESOLUTION honoring the Chesterton High School swim team.

Whereas, The Chesterton High School swim team is the 2009 Indiana High School Athletic Association State Swimming and Diving Team champion;

Whereas, Chesterton won the first four events of the meet and six events overall, scoring 222 points, to win its second consecutive state championship at the Boys Swimming and Diving State Finals held in Indianapolis at the Indiana University Natatorium;

Whereas, Junior Kyle Whitaker won his third consecutive

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state title in the 200-yard individual medley, setting a new state and national record, and the 100-yard butterfly;

Whereas, Kyle Whitaker, Matthew Rosiecki, Bill Bass, and Tyler Fozkos are the new state champions in the 200-yard medley relay with a time of 1:32.01, setting a new state record;

Whereas, Bill Bass won two individual state titles, defending his 500-yard freestyle championship with a 4:30.01 time and winning the 200-yard freestyle in 1:38.52;

Whereas, Tyler Fozkos won the 50-yard freestyle in 20.73 and placed third in the 100-yard freestyle;

Whereas, Matthew Rosiecki, Ethan Hall, Taylor Zakhar, and Tyler Fozkos were state runners-up in the 200-yard freestyle relay and Kyle Whitaker, Ethan Hall, Taylor Zakhar, and Bill Bass finished third in the 400-yard freestyle relay;

Whereas, Head Coach Kevin Kinel was ably assisted by Patrick Ward, Terry Lipniskis, Delilah Center, and Dan Vondrasek; and

Whereas, Determination, winning tradition, and team spirit have enabled Chesterton High School to maintain a high level of competitiveness: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives congratulates the Chesterton High School swim team on its state championship and wishes team members continued success in all their future endeavors.

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SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to swim team members Bill Bass, Tyler Fozkos, Ethan Hall, Matt Rosiecki, Kyle Whitaker, and Taylor Zakhar; head coach Kevin Kinel; assistant coaches Patrick Ward, Terry Lipniskis, Delilah Center, and Dan Vondrasek; principal Jim Goetz; and superintendent Dr. Dirk Baer.

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